

## Greek Mobilization Begins--Balkans to Enter The Struggle

### Bulgarian Mobilization Continues, But Europe Professes Ignorance of The Purpose of It

#### PRESS DECLARES "SITUATION IS GRAVE"

Athens, Sept. 24.—King Constantine late today signed a decree ordering general mobilization of the entire land forces. The Greek parliament has been summoned to meet next Wednesday to vote military measures. A great crowd cheered Premier Venizelos wildly when he left the foreign office this afternoon with the decree for general mobilization to obtain the King's signature. News that a mobilization order, calling twenty classes to the colors has been decided upon was flashed through the city earlier in the day and the second announcement that general mobilization orders would be issued increased the tension. The government is expected to take over control of the railways at once to facilitate mobilization. No order to that effect had been issued this forenoon, however. Government officials declared that Greece must support Serbia in case Bulgaria attacks or resigns herself to the fear of becoming a second rate Balkan power.

(By United Press)  
London, Sept. 24.—King Constantine has signed a decree mobilizing twenty divisions of the Greek army, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Athens today. The decree will be promulgated immediately. Premier Venizelos will ask the king to sign a decree declaring a general mobilization of the entire army at four o'clock this afternoon, according to another Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Athens.

Paris dispatches also state Greece has decided to mobilize her armies. The decision was reached at a cabinet meeting yesterday. It was not expected at Paris when the mobilization decree will be promulgated.

All Bulgarian officers in France departed for their home today. This included a number of army commanders who only recently arrived at French resorts.

Some dispatches stated all Greek reservists in Italy were today recalled to the colors.

Press dispatches today reported that the leaders of all political parties in Bulgaria have withdrawn their objections to the attitude of the government and have pledged unanimous support to Czar Ferdinand in any step he may take.

The press of all the allied capitals have agreed as to the gravity of the situation.

A Petrograd dispatch today stated that the Russian press expressed no surprises at the Bulgarian mobilization orders and regards the situation as most serious.

The United Press bureau at Paris wired today that "the newspapers here agree that the Balkan situation is grave."

"The Bulgarian legation at London today was unable to confirm the report that the mobilization order had been withdrawn. They stated that they could imagine no cause for cancelling the decree after it had been promulgated. This rumor only increases the perplexity here as to Czar Ferdinand's real purpose."

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## THIS MOTHER HAS GIVEN TEN SONS TO HER COUNTRY

### Five Die In Battle, One is Captured, Three Injured, One Still Fights

Mrs. Fury Holds Record, and is Pointed to as Answer Threat of Conscription.

BY WILBUR S. FORREST.  
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

London, Sept. 10.—(By Mail).—The mother's record in this war is held by Mrs. Mary Fury, of Longrea, County Galway, Ireland.

She has given ten sons to the British army. Five are dead in France. One lies in a hospital recovering from wounds. One is a prisoner in Germany. One remains fighting and another is nursing a right arm shattered by a bullet.

This is not all of Mrs. Fury's fighting family. She has a daughter, Mrs. Mary Cossey, Romford, England. Mrs. Cossey's husband is one of Romford's 2,000 fighting men at the front. Several weeks ago, Mrs. Cossey supported her large family of small children with the aid of two brothers-in-law. Now they have gone to war and she is struggling on alone.

What Mrs. Mary Fury and Mrs. Mary Cossey have suffered in England's greatest crisis is the story of hundreds of homes of the working classes in the British Isles. A similar story can be told in a smaller way from the mansions of British aristocracy and from the "castles" of the middle classes. But it does not leave the sting of poverty that confronts Mrs. Mary Fury, of County Galway, an other sister of the lower classes. She will suffer until her body is planted in Irish soil and with her, thousands of other women whose husbands have left the spade and shovel.

If conscription comes in Great Britain it will not find the husbands, brothers and sons of the Mary Furies and Mary Cosseys among the "slackers."

The laboring element is becoming gradually the scarcest element in Britain. Cities, towns and villages alike have emptied their houses and streets. These men are today in the majority in Northern France. The Dardanelles and other theatres of war. The upper and middle classes are in the hopeless numerical minority.

There is one obscure little street in Waltham, a suburb of South London, that tells the tale. This street is in the heart of the "working" locality. It is called "Trafalgar Street" and is simply a two rows of 150 small brick houses and shops built closely together. The war office has distributed cards of honor for every family that sends a man to the army. There are 195 cards of honor in the windows of these little shops and houses. Children play with cocked hats and wooden guns in the narrow street. About half of them will never see their fathers again. They will go into the factories their fathers left as soon as their arms are strong enough.

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J. P. MORGAN AND LORD READING, HEAD OF COMMISSION, TAKEN ON BOARD THE LAPLAND.

Six representatives of England and France are in this country on what is believed to be the most important and comprehensive financial mission ever attempted. They arrived at New York, September 10th, aboard the White Star liner Lapland. J. P. Morgan as financial agent of the British government, is acting as host to the commissioners. It is known that financial problems of almost unprecedented character will be discussed. The commission headed by Lord Reading (Sir Rufus Isaacs), Lord Chief Justice of Great Britain. He is the most distinguished Jew in the British empire and today holds the highest public office ever held by any member of his race. The other English members are: Sir Edward Hopkinson, Holden, managing director of the London City and Midland bank; Sir Henry Babington Smith, former head of the bank of Turkey and Basil B. Blackett, an expert of the treasury. The French members are Octave Homberg, of the foreign office, and Ernest Mallet, regent of the Bank of France.

## TOMORROW MARKS REAL OPENING OF FOOTBALL SEASON

### Big Fellows All Scheduled For Games in East, West and South Saturday

#### Preliminary Games Fail to Indicate Which Way the Wind Blows for Seasons Honors.

New York, Sept. 24.—Although there were several gridiron games last week the regular foot ball season will not be opened until tomorrow, when Yale, Harvard, Pennsylvania, Princeton, Brown, Dartmouth and Syracuse will take the field in the East, and Vanderbilt, Virginia, Georgia and Tennessee will enter into the fray of the season in the South. The Haskell Indians will play Salina Wesleyan and Oberlin will meet Heidelberg, but the teams of the most of the prominent Western schools will not make their first appearance in regular games until Saturday of next week. On that day Wisconsin, Minnesota, Iowa, Illinois, Notre Dame, Nebraska, Missouri, Ohio State, Kansas, Indiana, North Dakota, Montana and Idaho will throw their elbows into action. The first games on the Michigan and Chicago University schedules are set for the following week.

In the initial contests in the East tomorrow Yale and Maine will meet at New Haven, Harvard and Colby at Cambridge, Princeton and Georgetown at Princeton, Pennsylvania and West Virginia at Philadelphia, Cornell and Gettysburg at Ithaca, Syracuse and Hobart at Syracuse, Brown and Rhode Island State at Providence, Dartmouth and Massachusetts State at Hanover, Holy Cross and Bates at Worcester, Carleise and Lebanon Valley at Carlisle, Williams and Rensselaer Polytechnic at Williamstown, Dickinson and Western Maryland at Carlisle, Rutgers and Albright at New Brunswick, Union and St. Lawrence at Schenectady, Lafayette and Muhlenberg at Easton, Amherst and Middlebury at Amherst, Trinity and Norwich at Hartford, and Washington Jefferson and Geneva at Washington, Pa.

The season in the South will be inaugurated with games between Vanderbilt and Tennessee State Normal at Nashville, Virginia and Randolph-Macon at Charlottesville, Pennsylvania and Ohio University at Athens, Pa. and Washington and Lee at Lexington, Va. Roanoke and Virginia Polytechnic at Blacksburg, and George and N. G. A. C. at Athens.

On Western gridirons Case and Akron will battle at Akron, Oklahoma and Central State Normal at Oklahoma City, Haskell Indians and Salina Wesleyan at Salina, Wittenberg and Ohio Wesleyan at Delaware, Oberlin and Heidelberg at Oberlin, and Fairmount and Bethel at Wichita.

Although the dates mentioned above are those on which the teams play their first scheduled games, the college youths who furnish amusement and excitement for thousands of spectators during the fall have been busy for several weeks in anticipation of the coming season. The sound of the boot thudding against the leather ball, the sharp staccato calls in signal practice and the wisp of bodies clashing against each other have been heard over the various college gridirons. The pre-season practice and conditioning of the players have become a most important part of the game.

Wednesday night Miss Wisert, of Allahabad, India, gave a very instructive and interesting address in the Presbyterian church about her experiences as a missionary in India, and about the customs and religion of the people of that distant land, where Christianity has scarcely been heard of.

Miss Wisert said that Allahabad was so called because it is the Mecca of India, or the "Land of the Gods."

The city is also called Trinidad on account of its situation as the juncture of two rivers held sacred by the Indians. During the months of January and February of each year, thousands of the inhabitants migrate to this city to hold their yearly religious festival at which time they bathe in these rivers, believing that their sins will be washed away.

There are about one million gods in this land, all of which the people worship. Enormous temples in which the gods are housed dot the city making it one of peculiar beauty.

Miss Wisert used simple illustrations to explain and make clear the points of her lecture, which was one of the most interesting ever heard on that subject in Clearfield.

Miss Lowery, president of the Women's Foreign Missionary society of the Huntington Presbyterian, gave a forcible talk at the meeting of the Missionary society of the Presbyterian church in an effort to secure 6000 women who are not allied with the society. The meeting although only a short one was very interesting and obtained fine results.

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## One American Soldier Killed and Two Wounded in Battle with Mexico

### Border Fighting Continues With Searches Beating The Brush For The Murderers

(By United Press)  
Brownsville, Sept. 24.—One American soldier killed and two were wounded in a battle with Mexicans near Progresso early today. According to meagre reports a small detachment of soldiers was surrounded and captured or annihilated by a large force of Mexicans. Soldiers sent out from Mercedes are searching for the Mexicans who scattered into the brush.

The telephone wires from Mercedes to the river have been cut rendering communication with that district very slow.

Another battle between Americans and Mexicans which was still in progress at noon was reported to have resulted in the death of ten Mexicans and the wounding of five others. The fight was taking place between county officers and bandits on the line between Hidalgo and Starr counties. No American casualties were reported.

## RUSSIANS DEFEAT GERMAN WINGS IN BATTLE NEAR RIGA

### Petrograd Announces Brilliant Victories Won by Generals Russky and Ivanhoff

#### Great Battle Developing in Vicinity of Dvinsk, With Russians Again on Offensive

Petrograd, Sept. 24.—Brilliant victories at both ends of the long battle front were claimed in official dispatches at the war office. General Emusky has beaten back with heavy losses German forces who attempted to approach the Dvina river, twenty-seven miles southeast of Riga. General Ivanhoff has captured four villages from the Austrians, taking more than 1500 prisoners.

The Germans are renewing their attacks on the Russian positions west and southwest of Dvinsk. A great battle is developing, but the Czar's troops are holding their own and in the southeastern theatre the Russians are again on the offensive having driven the enemy west on a 150 mile front. Large numbers of guns and ammunition are being taken.

### PHILADELPHIA TRYING TO RECOVER ALLEGED GRAFT

#### Sues Clay, Wiggins and Walls to Get Back Over \$200,000

(By United Press)  
Philadelphia, Sept. 24.—Hearing on the equity suit brought by the city against Henry Clay, ex-Director of Public Safety, John E. Wiggins, and Willard H. Walls, to compel them to refund upward of \$200,000 alleged to have been gained through fraudulent city contracts, was scheduled to be held today in Common Pleas Court.

Several months ago Clay, Wiggins and Walls were acquitted of the conspiracy charge at their second trial. The civil suit up for hearing today was filed when the defendants were convicted at their first trial.

### HARRISBURG MARKS SPOT ELIMINATION TRIALS FOR BIG RACE

New York, Sept. 24.—The beginning of the elimination trials for the Astor Cup race attracted a large crowd of automobile enthusiasts to the new Sheepshead Bay Speedway today. The trials are to continue two days and will determine the contestants in a race to be run next Saturday—a race that is confidently expected to be the greatest contest in the history of automobile racing in America. To compete for the cup the elimination runners must show a speed of at least 85 miles an hour for one lap of the course. Those who fail will be excluded. Among those who are regarded as almost certain to compete in the cup race are Barney Oldfield, Ralph de Palma, Rene Thomas, Bob Burman and George Robertson.

The Busy Bee Sewing club and a large number of their friends were entertained yesterday afternoon by Mrs. M. P. Mapes, at her home at Clover Hill. Corn was roasted in a big camp fire and a delicious supper was served by the hostess to her guests.

WANTED—Girl who can do general housework and take care of children. Inquire Mrs. W. B. Powell, West Front St. \$24.00.

### FUNERAL OF A. B. SHAW HELD THIS AFTERNOON

Services in Charge of Officials of the County National Bank

Funeral services of A. B. Shaw were held from his late residence at Front street this afternoon at two o'clock. The services were in charge of the officials of the County National bank of which the deceased was for many years vice president. Many beautiful floral contributions were received.

Dr. Bender of the Trinity M. E. church preached the funeral service and a quartet composed of Miss Betty Anderson, Mrs. Kennard, A. E. Woodward and Emory Gearhart sang two beautiful selections.

The pall bearers were S. I. Snyder, A. B. Reed, F. G. Betts, H. F. Blythe, A. L. Forcey, of Bigler, H. L. Poncey, John Kennard, James A. McPherson, W. C. Miller, James P. O'Laughlin, W. B. Potter, H. B. Powell, A. K. Wright and Thomas H. Marrey. Interment was made in Hillside cemetery.

### OUR DAILY BIRTHDAY PARTY

Lord Louth, a frequent visitor to America in late years and now fighting with the British forces in France, born on a yacht near Dieppe, 47 years ago today.

Eugene N. Foss, former governor of Massachusetts, born at West Berkshire, Vt., 57 years ago today.

Judge Horace E. Deemer, chief justice of the Iowa Supreme Court, born at Bourbon, Ind., 57 years ago today.

William H. Santelmann, leader of the United States Marine Band, born in Hanover, Germany, 52 years ago today.

Rev. Mark A. Matthews, of Seattle, former moderator of the Presbyterian Church, born at Calhoun, Ga., 48 years ago today.

Dr. Thomas Darlington, Commissioner of the New York State Workmen's Compensation Commission, born in Brooklyn, 57 years ago today.

A. Montgomery Thacker, United States consul-general at Paris, born in Philadelphia, 67 years ago today.

Lewis S. Chanler, New York lawyer and Democratic candidate for governor in 1908, born at Newport, R. I., 46 years ago today.

James W. Good, representative in congress of the Fifth Iowa district, born near Cedar Rapids, Ia., 49 years ago today.

### OF THE OLD HARRIS FERRY

(By United Press)  
Harrisburg, Sept. 24.—Permanent marking of the spot where John Harris established his original ferry landing and thus founded Pennsylvania's present capital was accomplished this afternoon by the Pennsylvania State Historical Commission. The marker was unveiled this afternoon, secretary of the commission, presented the marker to the city and to the Dauphin County Historical Society a copy of the original grant.

This morning was featured by a parade of 11,000 school children. This evening local Red Men were present and gave a pageant representing the attempt to burn John Harris at the stake by drunken Indians.

### STAR ATHLETES TO PREPARE

New York, Sept. 24.—With all the important features of a championship competition scheduled, and an entry list comprising many of the leading athletes of the East and Middle West, the fall games of the New York Athletic Club at Travers Island tomorrow promise to be the most eventful athletic affair held in the metropolitan district this season.

In addition to the twelve headlining events on the program several special events have been arranged. The most important of these will be a one-mile scratch race, the chief starter of which will be Joe Ray, the Illinois A. C. athlete who defeated Norman Tabor, world's record holder, in the one-mile national championship at San Francisco last month.

### FIGHTS SCHEDULED FOR TONIGHT

Bobby Burns vs. Nate Jackson, 12 rounds at Dallas.

Jack White vs. Peanut, 10 rounds, at Dallas.

K C MEETS SOMEONE

(By United Press)  
Kansas City, Sept. 24.—Kansas City will host a great football battle tomorrow when the local team meets the Chicago team.

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FRIDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 24, 1915.

## AN EXTRAORDINARY SPECTACLE

President Wilson has not been repaid for his consideration of the feelings of the Austrian ambassador when, instead of handing him his passports, he requested his recall. Prompt results were naturally expected, but days passed without action at Vienna, and then the ex-ambassador issued a statement claiming that he had acted within his rights, accusing our government of injustice, and denouncing the "unspeakable abuse" to which he had been subjected by "the sensational and irresponsible section" of the American press. And yet, in a letter which he dispatched to Vienna and which was fortunately intercepted, this man said: "I am under the impression that we could, if not entirely prevent the production of war material in Bethlehem and in the middle West, at any rate strongly disorganize it and hold it up for months, which, according to the statement of the German military attaché, is of great importance, and which amply outweighs the relatively small sacrifice of money."

A foreign ambassador, convicted of unwarrantable interference in our domestic affairs, has not only lingered in this country but presumed to denounce the detection of his conspiracy as an outrage. The question naturally suggested is as to whether the Teutonic alliance is wholly lacking in respect for the United States. If not, what is the explanation of so extraordinary a spectacle? Unhappily this incident does not stand alone. It is but one of a series covering months which tend to show that this country's earnest desire for peace may involve too great a sacrifice.

## "WITH A VIEW TO MATRIMONY."

As marrying and giving in marriage may be described as almost if not quite the chief business of life, many people doubtless look with favor upon agencies intended to help along the process. At all events such agencies flourish beyond belief and the number of persons who are ready and eager to enter into a correspondence with an unknown member of the opposite sex "with a view to matrimony" appears to be countless. An issue of a matrimonial newspaper published in the Northwest that has come to hand contains hundreds of requests from both sexes for correspondents who are looking for wives or husbands. The reader of only a few of them will be amazed not only at the recklessness of the whole scheme—the mere purchase of a pug dog would develop more caution—but at the frivolity and vanity displayed by the great majority of these eager contestants for tickets in a matrimonial lottery.

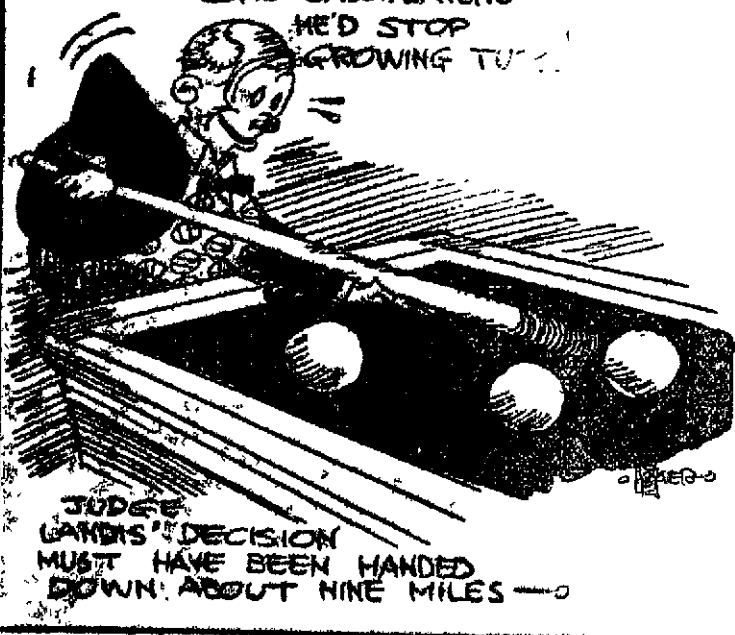
For example, an Indiana girl says she is "a good Christian maiden, fair to look upon," and after further description of herself asks: "Who is the lucky one to win this prize?" From West Virginia the "sweetest girl in the sunny South" writes to secure a correspondent "for fun and results." From Illinois comes the request of "a jolly maid of twenty-one as sweet as honey in a gum." Another "jolly maid" of North Carolina, who is also "as sweet as sugar," wants to correspond with "a sweet little manly boy." A "sweet and pretty" Iowa girl who "likes to be kissed" makes the unexpected announcement that she is "not a bit forward." Clothed with this superabundance of Western and Southern sweetness, the reader turns with relief to the somewhat more matter-of-fact New England female and is further gratified to find an element of caution, as in the announcement of a Maine widow who gives fair warning that "no flirts, dudes or drunkards need apply."

In a large number of cases there is a fortune to be given away, and there is usually at least an indefinite statement regarding "means" present or prospective. The ages of the female applicants for the most part range from sweet sixteen to twenty-one, but a few unexpectedly confess to being in the thirties and one or two—brides of former ones—that they are on the shady side of forty. These extraordinary announcements contain not only a full description of the charms of the applicants but often a reference to the church connections of the applicant—"am a Baptist" or "am a Methodist" following the description of physical and other attractions.

The "Gents' Personal" are no less amazing and scarcely less absurd, though there is often the frankest of confessions that "business" is meant and "money" is sought. There are almost as many "handsome" men as there are "sweet" and beautiful women advertising for consorts, and the former seem to be nearly if not quite as much interested in the color of their eyes and hair. For example, one man, who searches for a "lady,"

## RABID RUDOLPH SAYS—

IF AN ELEPHANT SAW  
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HE'D STOP  
GROWING TALL



gives the following description of himself: "Age 25, height 5 feet 9, weight 150, perfect model, handsome, attractive, a little peach, full of fun, good health, black hair, dark eyes, of noble parentage, highly respected, industrious, intelligent, stylish, honest Yankee." Another says he is "a brunette gentleman," and a third begs the "girls" to write to him, for he "wants to get married the worst way." Among so many desirable and "handsome young men of honor," altogether too numerous to be convincing, it is an agreeable surprise to find a Minnesota applicant frankly stating: "I am not one of these 'ever-so-nice' fellows we read about and do not expect to marry an angel." Perhaps he was saved by the recollection of the saying of a satirical philosopher that the human race consists of so many millions, "mostly fools."

## Today's Geographic Study of The Great European War Zone

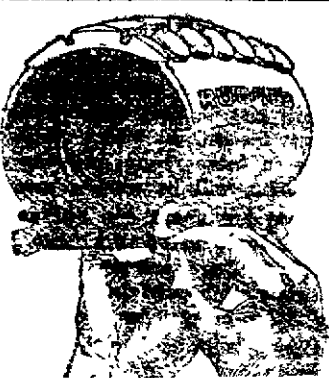
"Dorpat is the threshold of Holy Russia in the north," says a war primer issued today by the National Geographic Society. "The character of the town was for a long time thoroughly German, but determined efforts at russification have worked considerable change in the ancient city, which has been renamed Yurief, and it now marks the outpost line of Great Russia toward the Baltic provinces. It is situated on the River Embach, 140 miles northeast of Riga. Yurief is famed for its university, which has remained among the best in the Tsar's government. "The setting of the town is most picturesque. It stands upon the hilly banks of its river, which flows from Lake Woertz-Jaerw of Lake Piepus, a great inland sea 25 miles to the east of Yurief. The principal buildings are grouped around castle and cathedral hills, though nothing remains of the buildings which defined the eminences but the ruins of the old cathedral, which was burned in 1598. This part of the town lies south of the river. "Yurief's renowned university was founded by the heading warrior, Gustavus Adolphus, in 1632, the year of his death. Attached to it are an observatory, an anatomical theatre, a museum of natural history, and one of the finest botanical gardens in Europe, whose collection contains more than 12,000 plants. Its library, 250,000 volumes, is housed in a restored part of the old cathedral. The university remained thoroughly German in spirit and sentiment until the 1895, when it was thoroughly russified. A long list of great German investigators, who worked and taught at Yurief, assures the enduring name of the institution. Yurief, until its nationalization was the intellectual center of the Tsar's Teutonic subjects."

## ANNIVERSARY OF "BLACK FRIDAY."

New York, Sept. 24.—September 24 in the year 1869 fell on a Friday, as does the same date today. But the Friday of 46 years ago will ever be remembered as "Black Friday," when many firms were driven to the wall and the fortunes of hundreds were swept away. It was the day of the culmination of Jay Gould's attempt to corner the country's supply of gold. It was a spectacular scheme, carried out in the dark and regardless of consequences. Gould was the head and brains of the syndicate and his chief agent was James Fisk, Jr., the man who later met death at the hands of Ed Stokes. In August, 1869, the Gould syndicate began buying gold for a rise. For a time the astounding plot had ever prospect of success. The price of gold mounted from 135 1/2 to 162 1/2. Then the government awoke to the true nature of the plot and took steps to check it. Gould had an advance tip of the government's intention and acted accordingly. To save himself from ruin he set to work, secretly, getting rid of his own personal supply of gold, without taking the trouble to notify his confederates, who in consequence were carried down in the crash, which came on Friday, September 24. The stock exchange on that day was a bedlam. Men went insane in the "gold room," and the hair of more than one spectator was said to have turned white in a day. The "corner" was smashed and the panic checked when Secretary of the Treasury Boutwell threw \$4,000,000 in gold on the market. That night a mob searched industriously for Gould to lynch him.

## ROBBED IN JAIL.

Grand Forks, N. D., Sept. 24.—That he was robbed in jail, was the complaint of John George a Turk. George said he secreted \$400 from guards, when imprisoned, but told a fellow prisoner about it. Guards heard a commotion, and rescued George. His complaint was that his antagonist had stolen his \$400. The guards could not find the money.



## ALL STYLES KLAXON MADE HORNS.

Klaxon, \$20. Klaxonet, \$15. Klaxet, \$9

## TWO STYLES HAND HORNS:

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## TWO FORFEIT LIVES FOR MURDER.

Los Angeles, Sept. 24.—The execution of the two youths, Glenn Witt and Ethelbert C. Oxman, which is fixed to take place today, closes one of the most notable murder cases with which the police of Los Angeles have been called upon to deal in several years. Neither of the condemned men has reached his twenty-first birthday. The crime for which they were given the death penalty was the murder of William M. Alexander, a wealthy retired lawyer, formerly of Dallas, Texas. The murder was committed while the two youths were attempting to rob the Alexander home in this city on the night of December 23, last. Witt and Oxman were attacked and beaten by members of the Alexander household and were arrested the following day when they sought medical attention for their injuries. The two were speedily convicted and sentenced to death. Both confessed to the crime. Witt's execution is scheduled to take place today at Folsom prison and Oxman's at San Quentin.

## SALOONS AND CHURCHES.

(By United Press)  
St. Paul, Sept. 24.—Some waras in St. Paul contain one saloon for every 31 male voters while they contain only one church for every 1,145 male voters, according to a report made by Rev. A. J. D. Haupt.

## SEED WHEAT

Smooth, red seed wheat for sale at Stone House farm. Good variety. Yield per acre 22 bushels. James Mitchell, Clearfield, Pa.

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POSITIONS WANTED  
No charge will be made to persons applying for positions through these columns. Please refer wanted.

## EMPLOYMENT WANTED

WANTED—A bookkeeper and competent stenographer want a position with some reliable firm. Can furnish good references. Address all communications to Lok 176 Winburne, Pa.

WANTED—Nursing to do by day or by the week. For hire 218 Turnpike Ave. Aug. 11.

WANTED—Position in office or as clerk by young man 17 years old. Have completed three year high school course. Address "Position," care of Progress office. 11.

## HELP WANTED

WANTED—Nurse girl at once. Inquire at Mrs. Wm. F. Powell, West Front St. S 24-11.

WANTED—Apprentice girls in millinery department at A. W. Leonardson's. A 31-11.

WANTED—High class man to sell trees, shrubs, roses, vines, berry bushes, bulbs, etc. Good wages; permanent; exclusive territory. Brown Brothers Nurseries, Rochester, New York.

ROOMERS WANTED—Rooms well furnished, steam heat, electric light, good bath; for rent. Apply 202 Nichols Street. S 20-61.

## FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms, suitable for light housekeeping. Apply 406 South Second street.

## FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Sideboard, quartered white oak; Dining room table, oak; 3 piece bedroom suit, springs and mattress; washing machine, tubs and wringer; Sewing machine, laundry stove. Call at 210 Spruce St. S 23-11.

FOR SALE—Good piano at reasonable price. Must sell quick. Call H. & C. 323 or 912 Linden street. 9-10-41.

FOR SALE—Two 1913 model Ford cars. Apply by letter to "Ford" care Progress. S 13-31.

FOUND—A child's white sweater. Owner can have same by calling at this office and paying for this notice.

LOST—Dark velvet pocket book, between Sugar Bowl and Market street bridge. If found please return to Progress office. Sept. 21, 11.

LOST—Gold watch on Weaver Street, between Nichols and Smith Streets with initials "R. B." on back. Finder will please return to Progress office and get reward.

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE  
A seven (7) room house, situate on Garden Avenue and West Third street in the borough of Clearfield, with steam heat electric light, bath and all modern conveniences; size of lot 12 x 15 feet, fronting on two streets, West Third street and Gullich street.

This property will be sold at a bargain to settle up an estate. For further particulars inquire of A. G. Kramer, Clearfield, Pa.

## WAR ODDITIES

Paris—Turkish prisoners quarantined on an island in the Aegean Sea are furnished an aeroplane mail service by the French government which allows them to write and receive letters.

Amsterdam—All German military commanders, with one exception—Gen. Falkenhayn—are between sixty-five and seventy-two years old. Falkenhayn is fifty-nine.

Geneva—The armed blessings of a lamb—made of a regiment of Italian Bersaglieri near Novara were led at the discovery of an attempted enemy surprise and caused the defeat of the Austrians with heavy loss.

## PENNSYLVANIA BRIEFS.

Pittsburgh—Several deer have been reported recently in Liguster Valley.

Braeburn—the war department has approved plans for a new bridge between Braeburn and Natrona.

New Castle—Girls in the domestic science classes of New Castle are "putting up" several thousand jars of fruit.

## House Wiring

Campaign is Now Open

HAVE

Central Electric Company  
DO YOUR WORK.

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H. & C. 400—Y

## Growth, The Reward of Service

Not only has the County National Bank kept pace with the industrial development of Clearfield County, but it has helped materially in that development.

Its part has been to aid legitimate enterprise by making loans as required to the business men of the district.

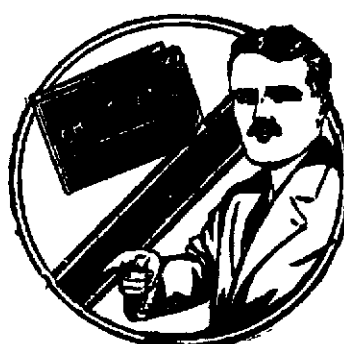
It has found its reward in the steady growth of its own business, until now it is the largest bank in this section of Pennsylvania, with deposits of over \$2,600,000 and resources of more than \$4,000,000.

It is better equipped than ever before to serve its customers. Your account is invited.

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The Oldest Bank in Clearfield County

## The Successful Business Man



uses the commercial bank extensively. Business could not exist without it. If you're not a client of ours there are many reasons why you should be. Our bank not only affords a safe place for your money, but pays interest as well.

Let us explain our methods to you.

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is a long time for any concern to do business in a city and when the concern happens to be a bank like this, with a multitude of depositors to please, there must be something about it which holds depositors together.

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"The Bank of Service"







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## OPENING DAYS

Friday, Saturday and Monday,  
September 24, 25 and 27

The Latest Fall Fashions in Millinery, Suits and  
Coats and all kinds of Fall and Winter Merchandise  
in every department of our store on display for the

## FALL OPENING

Piano concerts Saturday and Monday Evening  
From 7:30 to 9:00

## Special Sale Furs, Coats, Muffs and Neck Pieces

The best qualities for less money than we have shown in years.  
The disturbed trade conditions of the European markets have thrown  
thousands of dollars worth of furs on our home market at a sacrificed price.

It's the Time to Buy Furs.

Russian Pony Coats.  
Hudson-Seal Coats

Natural Pony Coats  
River Mink Coats

Any of the above we have in stock in plain and trimmed in the latest  
styles. Special orders taken. Muffs and Neck Pieces are subject to the  
same condition and many good bargains are now on sale which will not be  
shown later.

LEITZINGER BROS.

HONOR MEMORY OF FAMOUS  
PIONEER.

Memphis, Sept. 24.—Historical and  
patriotic societies of Tennessee re-  
called today as the centennial anni-  
versary of the death of Gen. John Se-  
vier, first governor of the state and  
one of the most famous pioneers of  
this section. Gen. Sevier was a native  
of Virginia and in his youth fought  
under Washington in the war against  
the Indians. With his two brothers  
he emigrated to the country west of  
the Alleghenies in 1773. He took  
part in the revolution and distinguish-  
ed himself particularly at the battle  
of King's Mountain. He was the  
chief organizer of the proposed State  
of Franklin and was elected its gov-

ernor. On the admission of Tennes-  
see to the union he was chosen first  
governor. Subsequently he served  
several terms in congress. He also is  
remembered as the founder of Wash-  
ington College. A monument was  
erected to Gen. Sevier's memory in  
this city, and Sevier County was nam-  
ed in his honor.

## MAY AVOID STRIKE

(By United Press)  
Pittsburg, Sept. 24.—Westinghouse  
employees who met last night to de-  
cide on a threatening strike, were still  
at work today, having deferred action  
until next Thursday.

Subscribe for The Progress.

## "HARVEST QUEEN" WINS AGAIN

"Harvest Queen," the fast trotter  
of the Mahaffey stable, won the 2-  
trot at the Dayton fair yesterday.  
Straight heats, her best time being  
2:19 1-4, the fastest this horse has  
ever traveled. By winning yester-  
day "Harvest Queen" adds \$300 to  
the already considerable winnings of  
the season. She will enter the class  
events at the DuBois fair next week.

The French club met Monday after-  
noon at the home of Mrs. Alfred  
Liveright on West Front street. This  
club is composed of ladies who can  
converse in French and a very de-  
lightful afternoon was spent. De-  
licious refreshments were served.

Gossip for  
Tonight's  
Tea Table

Charles W. Fry, of DuBois trans-  
acted business in town yesterday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Knight Staver, of  
Third street are on an extended trip  
to Atlantic City, Philadelphia and  
other Eastern cities.

Grace McKneze of Hout, Ind., was  
in town between trains yesterday.

Mrs. Gaines, formerly Miss Lucy  
McDowell who has been spending the  
summer with her parents on Park  
avenue, returned to her home in El  
Centro, Cal., today.

Miss Louise Row left for Chicago  
today where she attends the Chicago  
Normal of Physical Education.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Shenee re-  
turned last evening from an auto trip  
to Johnstown.

Leon Adelman and sister, of Phil-  
ipsburg, motored to town last even-  
ing.

Henry Mouthrop of DuBois was  
calling on friends in town last even-  
ing.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lorraine and  
daughter, Kathryn, of Philipsburg,  
were shopping in town yesterday.

William Russell, of Philadelphia, is  
visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. S.  
C. Russell in Curwensville.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kurtz and fam-  
ily motored to Pittsburg, today.

Mrs. William Ewing and Miss Re-  
becca Patton, of Curwensville, were  
shopping in town today.

Miss Julia Beil left this morning  
for Atlantic City and New York.

Mrs. Joseph Saylers, of Frenchville  
was shopping in town this morning.

A W. Leonardson returned this  
morning from Kane.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Spencer, of  
Curwensville, were in town shopping  
this morning.

Mrs. Norman Hawes, of Cherry  
Tree was shopping in town today.

John Connel, of Sanborn, trans-  
acted business in town today.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Wrigley,  
daughter Margaret and son William  
left this morning for Philadelphia and  
Atlantic City.

J. L. McGinnis was taken to the  
hospital this afternoon where he will  
be operated upon.

G. W. Shillingford has purchased  
a new Overland runabout from the  
Lee garage.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Thompson left  
this morning for Bloomington where  
they will visit at the summer home  
of J. P. Cameron.

The Hospital Bridge whist club  
met Wednesday afternoon at the  
home of Mrs. B. M. Fast on Turnpike  
avenue. Six tables were in play and  
seven dollars was received by the  
treasurer. Mrs. Hoag held the high-  
est bridge score and was awarded the  
first prize, a beautiful sandwich bas-  
ket. Mrs. Myers won the five hun-  
dred prize, a basket. The prizes were  
donated to the club by Mrs. Fast.

## CURWENSVILLE

The ladies of the M. E. church held  
a supper last night in the basement  
parlors which was well patronized.

Fred Graff was in DuBois yester-  
day.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Gates left yester-  
day for the Dayton fair at Dayton  
Armstrong county.

Misses Miriam Dyer and Aline  
Blake left Wednesday morning for  
New York city where they will visit  
for some time. Miss Dyer will later  
go to school at Lowell, Mass.

The Second ward voting house was  
used for the first time Tuesday and  
was found to be a great improvement  
over the old place and for this pur-  
pose.

There was a square and round  
dance held last night in the Moose  
hall. Quite a crowd of out of town  
folks were present.

Guy Richards who has been work-  
ing at Akron, Ohio is home for the  
winter.

Abe Robinson returned from Pitts-  
burg yesterday.

Ollie Livingston was in Clearfield  
this morning.

Henry Marshall was at the county  
seat this afternoon.

WANTED—Girl for general house-  
work, no washing. Inquire at  
Mrs. A. J. Musser, Pine street. 24-25

LOST — A gold friendship circle  
with garnet setting on Second or Mar-  
ket streets, Globe theatre or Leit-  
zinger Bros store. If found please re-  
turn to Progress office.

NATIONAL DEFENSE  
CONFERENCE PLANS  
ALMOST COMPLETED

Will be Greatest Conference  
Ever Held in Washington  
It is Predicted

Veterans Will Remain After Grand  
Review, and Thousands of Others  
Will be in Attendance.

Washington, Sept. 24.—Plans for  
the conference on National Defense,  
which will be held under the auspices  
of the National Defense League in  
Washington, October 4-7, immedi-  
ately following the Grand Army of the  
Republic Encampment, are rapidly  
being completed. The Navy League  
and the National Rifle Association  
are co-operating with the National  
Defense League in the conference.  
Representative Julius Kahn, of Cal-  
ifornia, chairman, and Senator Robert  
F. Broussard, of Louisiana, vice-chair-  
man, of the National Defense League,  
will preside at the sessions of the  
conference, which will last four days  
and at which will speak the most  
prominent men of the United States.

The Conference on National De-  
fense probably will be the greatest  
convention ever held in Washington.  
Thousands of the grand army veter-  
ans have notified the league that they  
will remain in Washington to attend  
the conference, after the G. A. R. en-  
campment ends. A very large num-  
ber of congressmen, members of state  
legislatures, mayors of cities, and  
others have signified their intention  
of being present at the conference.

It is expected that this conference  
will focus the eyes of the whole coun-  
try on the preparedness for national  
defense agitation, and will have an  
important effect on the action of con-  
gress at the next session for adequate  
defense measures.

Women are going to take a promi-  
nent part in the deliberations of the  
conference. Many have written the  
National Defense League they will at-  
tend the conference.

From thousands of letters received  
by the National Defense League it is  
shown that in every section of the  
country there is a strong sentiment  
for preparation for National defense.  
Many of the writers say they will at-  
tend the conference.

A citizens committee of 500 promi-  
nent Washingtonians has been ap-  
pointed to care for the local arrange-  
ments for the conference, and the  
press committee includes practically  
the whole membership of the con-  
gressional press gallery.

President Wilson, former Presi-  
dents Taft and Roosevelt, and many  
other prominent men have been in-  
vited to speak at the conference.

## NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that applica-  
tion will be made to The Public Ser-  
vice Commission of the Common-  
wealth of Pennsylvania by The  
American Telegraph & Telephone  
Company, of Pennsylvania and The  
Bell Telephone Company, of Penn-  
sylvania for a certificate of public con-  
venience evidencing the Commission's  
approval of a bill of sale dated July  
28, 1915 for the sale by the former to  
the latter of certain central office  
equipment located in Allentown, Le-  
high County; Berwick, Columbia  
County; Clearfield, Clearfield County;  
Easton, Northampton County; Haz-  
leton and Wilkes-Barre, Luzerne  
County; Johnsonburg and Ridgeway,  
Elk County; Lancaster, Lancaster  
County; Lewistown, Mifflin County;  
Reading, Berks County; Scranton,  
Lackawanna County; Shippensburg,  
Cumberland County; Tamaqua,  
Schuylkill County; Tyrone, Blair  
County and York, York County, Penn-  
sylvania, the public hearing on which  
will be held in the rooms of the Com-  
mission at Harrisburg on October 6,  
1915, at Ten a. m., when and where  
all persons in interest may appear  
and be heard if they so desire. 5-24-25

Woodlawn—The new pipe mill of  
the Jones & Laughlin Steel Company,  
to be completed next year, will em-  
ploy a thousand men.

## ANNOUNCEMENT

Robinson &amp; Company

Wish to announce their

latest showing of:

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Millinery---Coats---Suits

Friday and Saturday

September 24-25

Millinery Department will be open

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## Special For Saturday

All of the late style  
SHOES  
for Women at very  
low prices. We  
have just received  
several shipments  
and are selling them  
at prices that are  
real values

## A Lot of Men's Shoes at Bargain Prices

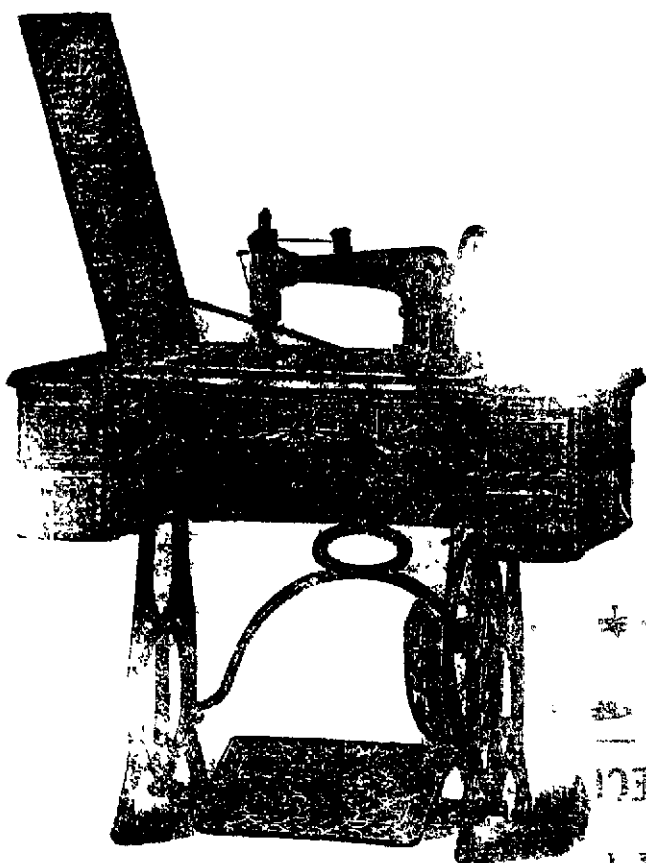
Men's \$4, \$4.50 and \$5  
Shoes, all styles, \$2.98

Men's \$3 dress and work  
Shoes, now . . . \$1.98

School shoes for children  
in all leathers,  
\$1.19 to \$2.98



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Clearfield, Pa.

Put This Twenty-Five Dollars In  
The Bank

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chine here. We have sold Sewing Machines for 35 years. Plenty of exper-  
ience in all makes.

Today and for the Past Fifteen Years We Have Sold Only Three Makes.  
The leader of them all is the New Ideal. Automatic Head, light run-  
ning, ball bearing Machine . . . . . \$25.00

Sold on easy monthly payments. We have over 500 of these machines  
sold right here in Clearfield and every one of them giving perfect satisfaction.  
They will pay \$45.00 or \$50.00 for a Sewing Machine when we can sell you a  
Machine for \$25.00 that will do just the same work. We say to you that any  
Machine we sell you must be satisfactory to you in every way or your money  
back.

The Ruby Machine Drop Head for \$20.00.

Come in any time we will be glad to demonstrate our Sewing Machines  
and prove to you that we can sell you a Machine for \$20.00 and \$25.00 that  
will do all that the \$50.00 Machine will do.

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## BUY IT NOW

Present Low Prices For  
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## KERR ADDITION

Will not prevail after October 1. Intending buyers  
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## Greek Mobilization Begins--Balkans to Enter The Struggle

### Bulgarian Mobilization Continues, But Europe Professes Ignorance of The Purpose of It

#### PRESS DECLARES "SITUATION IS GRAVE"

Athens, Sept. 24.—King Constantine late today signed a decree ordering general mobilization of the entire land forces. The Greek parliament has been summoned to meet next Wednesday to vote military measures. A great crowd cheered Premier Venizelos wildly when he left the foreign office this afternoon with the decree for general mobilization to obtain the King's signature. News that a mobilization order, calling twenty classes to the colors has been decided upon was flashed through the city earlier in the day and the second announcement that general mobilization orders would be issued increased the tension. The government is expected to take over control of the railways at once to facilitate mobilization. No order to that effect had been issued this forenoon, however. Government officials declared that Greece must support Serbia in case Bulgaria attacks or resigns herself to the fear of becoming a second rate Balkan power.

(By United Press)  
London, Sept. 24.—King Constantine has signed a decree mobilizing twenty divisions of the Greek army, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Athens today. The decree will be promulgated immediately. Premier Venizelos will ask the king to sign a decree declaring a general mobilization of the entire army at four o'clock this afternoon, according to another Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Athens.

Paris dispatches also state Greece has decided to mobilize her armies. The decision was reached at a cabinet meeting yesterday. It was not expected at Paris when the mobilization decree will be promulgated.

All Bulgarian officers in France departed for their home today. This included a number of army commanders who only recently arrived at French resorts.

Some dispatches stated all Greek reservists in Italy were today recalled to the colors.

Press dispatches today reported that the leaders of all political parties in Bulgaria have withdrawn their objections to the attitude of the government and have pledged unanimous support to Czar Ferdinand in any step he may take.

The press of all the allied capitals have agreed as to the gravity of the situation.

A Petrograd dispatch today stated that the Russian press expressed no surprise at the Bulgarian mobilization orders and regards the situation as most serious.

The United Press bureau at Paris wired today that "the newspapers here agree that the Balkan situation is grave."

"The Bulgarian legation at London today was unable to confirm the report that the mobilization order had been withdrawn. They stated that they could imagine no cause for cancelling the decree after it had been promulgated. This rumor only increases the perplexity here as to Czar Ferdinand's real purpose."

London took the view that if the report of the mobilization of twenty-eight classes of Bulgarian reservists was true, there can be no doubt as to Bulgaria's intent. They stated that "No such force is needed to preserve Bulgaria's neutrality."

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## THIS MOTHER HAS GIVEN TEN SONS TO HER COUNTRY

### Five Die In Battle, One is Captured, Three Injured, One Still Fights

Mrs. Fury Holds Record, and is Pointed to as Answer Threat of Conscription.

BY WILBUR S. FORREST.  
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

London, Sept. 10.—(By Mail).—The mother's record in this war is held by Mrs. Mary Fury, of Longrea, County Galway, Ireland.

She has given ten sons to the British army. Five are dead in France. One lies in a hospital recovering from wounds. One is a prisoner in Germany. One remains fighting and another is nursing a right arm shattered by a bullet.

This is not all of Mrs. Fury's fighting family. She has a daughter, Mrs. Mary Cossey, Romford, England. Mrs. Cossey's husband is one of Romford's 2,000 fighting men at the front. Several weeks ago, Mrs. Cossey supported her large family of small children with the aid of two brothers-in-law. Now they have gone to war and she is struggling on alone.

What Mrs. Mary Fury and Mrs. Mary Cossey have suffered in England's greatest crisis is the story of hundreds of homes of the working classes in the British Isles. A similar story can be told in a smaller way from the mansions of British aristocracy and from the "castles" of the middle classes. But it does not leave the sting of poverty that confronts Mrs. Mary Fury, of County Galway, an other sister of the lower classes. She will suffer until her body is planted in Irish soil and with her, thousands of other women whose husbands have left the spade and shovel.

If conscription comes in Great Britain it will not find the husbands, brothers and sons of the Mary Furies and Mary Cosseys among the "slackers."

The laboring element is becoming gradually the scarcest element in Britain. Cities, towns and villages alike have emptied their houses and streets. These men are today in the majority in Northern France. The Dardanelles and other theatres of war. The upper and middle classes are in the hopeless numerical minority.

There is one obscure little street in Waltham, a suburb of South London, that tells the tale. This street is in the heart of the "working" locality. It is called "Trafalgar Street" and is simply a two rows of 150 small brick houses and shops built closely together. The war office has distributed cards of honor for every family that sends a man to the army. There are 195 cards of honor in the windows of these little shops and houses. Children play with cocked hats and wooden guns in the narrow street. About half of them will never see their fathers again. They will go into the factories their fathers left as soon as their arms are strong enough.

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J. P. MORGAN AND LORD READING, HEAD OF COMMISSION, TAKEN ON BOARD THE LAPLAND.

Six representatives of England and France are in this country on what is believed to be the most important and comprehensive financial mission ever attempted. They arrived at New York, September 10th, aboard the White Star liner Lapland. J. P. Morgan as financial agent of the British government, is acting as host to the commissioners. It is known that financial problems of almost unprecedented character will be discussed. The commission headed by Lord Reading (Sir Rufus Isaacs), Lord Chief Justice of Great Britain. He is the most distinguished Jew in the British empire and today holds the highest public office ever held by any member of his race. The other English members are: Sir Edward Hopkinson, Holden, managing director of the London City and Midland bank; Sir Henry Babington Smith, former head of the bank of Turkey and Basil B. Blackett, an expert of the treasury. The French members are Octave Homberg, of the foreign office, and Ernest Mallet, regent of the Bank of France.

## TOMORROW MARKS REAL OPENING OF FOOTBALL SEASON

### Big Fellows All Scheduled For Games in East, West and South Saturday

#### Preliminary Games Fail to Indicate Which Way the Wind Blows for Seasons Honors.

New York, Sept. 24.—Although there were several gridiron games last week the regular foot ball season will not be opened until tomorrow, when Yale, Harvard, Pennsylvania, Princeton, Brown, Dartmouth and Syracuse will take the field in the East, and Vanderbilt, Virginia, Georgia and Tennessee will enter into the fray of the season in the South. The Haskell Indians will play Salina Wesleyan and Oberlin will meet Heidelberg, but the teams of the most of the prominent Western schools will not make their first appearance in regular games until Saturday of next week. On that day Wisconsin, Minnesota, Iowa, Illinois, Notre Dame, Nebraska, Missouri, Ohio State, Kansas, Indiana, North Dakota, Montana and Idaho will throw their elbows into action. The first games on the Michigan and Chicago University schedules are set for the following week.

In the initial contests in the East tomorrow Yale and Maine will meet at New Haven, Harvard and Colby at Cambridge, Princeton and Georgetown at Princeton, Pennsylvania and West Virginia at Philadelphia, Cornell and Gettysburg at Ithaca, Syracuse and Hobart at Syracuse, Brown and Rhode Island State at Providence, Dartmouth and Massachusetts State at Hanover, Holy Cross and Bates at Worcester, Carleise and Lebanon Valley at Carlisle, Williams and Rensselaer Polytechnic at Williamstown, Dickinson and Western Maryland at Carlisle, Rutgers and Albright at New Brunswick, Union and St. Lawrence at Schenectady, Lafayette and Muhlenberg at Easton, Amherst and Middlebury at Amherst, Trinity and Norwich at Hartford, and Washington Jefferson and Geneva at Washington, Pa.

The season in the South will be inaugurated with games between Vanderbilt and Tennessee State Normal at Nashville, Virginia, and Randolph-Macon at Charlottesville, Transylvania and Ohio University at Athens, Ga. Wake Forest and Furman at Winston-Salem, N. C.

Davidson at Lexington, Va. Roanoke and Virginia Polytechnic at Blacksburg, and George and N. G. A. C. at Athens.

On Western gridirons Case and Akron will battle at Akron, Oklahoma and Central State Normal at Oklahoma City, Haskell Indians and Salina Wesleyan at Salina, Wittenberg and Ohio Wesleyan at Delaware, Oberlin and Heidelberg at Oberlin, and Fairmount and Bethel at Wichita.

Although the dates mentioned above are those on which the teams play their first scheduled games, the college youths who furnish amusement and excitement for thousands of spectators during the fall have been busy for several weeks in anticipation of the coming season. The sound of the boot thudding against the leather ball, the sharp staccato calls in signal practice and the wisp of bodies clashing against each other have been heard over the various college gridirons. The pre-season practice and conditioning of the players have become a most important part of the game.

## LECTURES ON INDIA

Wednesday night Miss Wisert, of Allahabad, India, gave a very instructive and interesting address in the Presbyterian church about her experiences as a missionary in India, and about the customs and religion of the people of that distant land, where Christianity has scarcely been heard of.

Miss Wisert said that Allahabad was so called because it is the Mecca of India, or the "Land of the Gods."

The city is also called Trinidad on account of its situation as the juncture of two rivers held sacred by the Indians. During the months of January and February of each year, thousands of the inhabitants migrate to this city to hold their yearly religious festival at which time they bathe in these rivers, believing that their sins will be washed away.

There are about one million gods in this land, all of which the people worship. Enormous temples in which the gods are housed dot the city making it one of peculiar beauty.

Miss Wisert used simple illustrations to explain and make clear the points of her lecture, which was one of the most interesting ever heard on that subject in Clearfield.

Miss Lowery, president of the Women's Foreign Missionary society of the Huntington Presbyterian, gave a forcible talk at the meeting of the Missionary society of the Presbyterian church in an effort to secure 6000 women who are not allied with the society. The meeting although only a short one was very interesting and obtained fine results.

## One American Soldier Killed and Two Wounded in Battle with Mexico

### Border Fighting Continues With Searches Beating The Brush For The Murderers

(By United Press)  
Brownsville, Sept. 24.—One American soldier killed and two were wounded in a battle with Mexicans near Progresso early today. According to meagre reports a small detachment of soldiers was surrounded and captured or annihilated by a large force of Mexicans. Soldiers sent out from Mercedes are searching for the Mexicans who scattered into the brush.

The telephone wires from Mercedes to the river have been cut rendering communication with that district very slow.

Another battle between Americans and Mexicans which was still in progress at noon was reported to have resulted in the death of ten Mexicans and the wounding of five others. The fight was taking place between county officers and bandits on the line between Hidalgo and Starr counties. No American casualties were reported.

## RUSSIANS DEFEAT GERMAN WINGS IN BATTLE NEAR RIGA

### Petrograd Announces Brilliant Victories Won by Generals Russky and Ivanhoff

#### Great Battle Developing in Vicinity of Dvinsk, With Russians Again on Offensive

Petrograd, Sept. 24.—Brilliant victories at both ends of the long battle front were claimed in official dispatches at the war office. General Emusky has beaten back with heavy losses German forces who attempted to approach the Dvina river, twenty-seven miles southeast of Riga. General Ivanhoff has captured four villages from the Austrians, taking more than 1500 prisoners.

The Germans are renewing their attacks on the Russian positions west and southwest of Dvinsk. A great battle is developing, but the Czar's troops are holding their own and in the southeastern theatre the Russians are again on the offensive having driven the enemy west on a 150 mile front. Large numbers of guns and ammunition are being taken.

## PHILADELPHIA TRYING TO RECOVER ALLEGED GRAFT

### Sues Clay, Wiggins and Walls to Get Back Over \$200,000

(By United Press)  
Philadelphia, Sept. 24.—Hearing on the equity suit brought by the city against Henry Clay, ex-Director of Public Safety, John E. Wiggins, and Willard H. Walls, to compel them to refund upward of \$200,000 alleged to have been gained through fraudulent city contracts, was scheduled to be held today in Common Pleas Court.

Several months ago Clay, Wiggins and Walls were acquitted of the conspiracy charge at their second trial. The civil suit up for hearing today was filed when the defendants were convicted at their first trial.

## HARRISBURG MARKS SPOT ELIMINATION TRIALS FOR BIG RACE

New York, Sept. 24.—The beginning of the elimination trials for the Astor Cup race attracted a large crowd of automobile enthusiasts to the new Sheepshead Bay Speedway today. The trials are to continue two days and will determine the contestants in a race to be run next Saturday—a race that is confidently expected to be the greatest contest in the history of automobile racing in America. To compete for the cup the elimination runners must show a speed of at least 85 miles an hour for one lap of the course. Those who fail will be excluded. Among those who are regarded as almost certain to compete in the cup race are Barney Oldfield, Ralph de Palma, Rene Thomas, Bob Burman and George Robertson.

The Busy Bee Sewing club and a large number of their friends were entertained yesterday afternoon by Mrs. M. P. Mapes, at her home at Clover Hill. Corn was roasted in a big camp fire and a delicious supper was served by the hostess to her guests.

WANTED—Girl who can do general housework and take care of children. Inquire Mrs. W. B. Powell, West Front St. \$24.00.

## FUNERAL OF A. B. SHAW HELD THIS AFTERNOON

### Services in Charge of Officials of the County National Bank

Funeral services of A. B. Shaw were held from his late residence at Front street this afternoon at two o'clock. The services were in charge of the officials of the County National bank of which the deceased was for many years vice president. Many beautiful floral contributions were received.

Dr. Bender of the Trinity M. E. church preached the funeral service and a quartet composed of Miss Betty Anderson, Mrs. Kennard, A. E. Woodward and Emory Gearhart sang two beautiful selections.

The pall bearers were S. I. Snyder, A. B. Reed, F. G. Betts, H. F. Bighan, A. L. Forcey, of Bigler, H. L. Poncey, John Kennard, James A. McPherson, W. C. Miller, James P. O'Laughlin, W. B. Potter, H. B. Powell, A. K. Wright and Thomas H. Marrey. Interment was made in Hillside cemetery.

## OUR DAILY BIRTHDAY PARTY

Lord Louth, a frequent visitor to America in late years and now fighting with the British forces in France, born on a yacht near Dieppe, 47 years ago today.

Eugene N. Foss, former governor of Massachusetts, born at West Berkshire, Vt., 57 years ago today.

Judge Horace E. Deemer, chief justice of the Iowa Supreme Court, born at Bourbon, Ind., 57 years ago today.

William H. Santelmann, leader of the United States Marine Band, born in Hanover, Germany, 52 years ago today.

Rev. Mark A. Matthews, of Seattle, former moderator of the Presbyterian Church, born at Calhoun, Ga., 48 years ago today.

Dr. Thomas Darlington, Commissioner of the New York State Workmen's Compensation Commission, born in Brooklyn, 57 years ago today.

A. Montgomery Thacker, United States consul-general at Paris, born in Philadelphia, 67 years ago today.

Lewis S. Chanler, New York lawyer and Democratic candidate for governor in 1908, born at Newport, R. I., 46 years ago today.

James W. Good, representative in congress of the Fifth Iowa district, born near Cedar Rapids, Ia., 49 years ago today.

## OF THE OLD HARRIS FERRY

(By United Press)  
Harrisburg, Sept. 24.—Permanent marking of the spot where John Harris established his original ferry landing and thus founded Pennsylvania's present capital was accomplished this afternoon by the Pennsylvania State Historical Commission. The marker was unveiled this afternoon, secretary of the commission, presented the marker to the city and to the Dauphin County Historical Society a copy of the original grant.

This morning was featured by a parade of 11,000 school children. This evening local Red Men were present and gave a pageant representing the attempt to burn John Harris at the stake by drunken Indians.

## STAR ATHLETES TO PREPARE

New York, Sept. 24.—With all the important features of a championship competition scheduled, and an entry list comprising many of the leading athletes of the East and Middle West, the fall games of the New York Athletic Club at Travers Island tomorrow promise to be the most eventful athletic affair held in the metropolitan district this season.

In addition to the twelve headlining events on the program several special events have been arranged. The most important of these will be a one-mile scratch race, the chief starter of which will be Joe Ray, the Illinois A. C. athlete who defeated Norman Tabor, world's record holder, in the one-mile national championship at San Francisco last month.

## FIGHTS SCHEDULED FOR TONIGHT

Bobby Burns vs. Nate Jackson, 19 rounds at Dallas.

Jack White vs. Peanut, 10 rounds, at Dallas.

## K C MEETS SOMEHOW

(By United Press)  
Kansas City, Sept. 24.—Kansas City will host a football game tomorrow when the local team will meet the Chicago team.

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FRIDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 24, 1915.

## AN EXTRAORDINARY SPECTACLE

President Wilson has not been repaid for his consideration of the feelings of the Austrian ambassador when, instead of handing him his passports, he requested his recall. Prompt results were naturally expected, but days passed without action at Vienna, and then the ex-ambassador issued a statement claiming that he had acted within his rights, accusing our government of injustice, and denouncing the "unspeakable abuse" to which he had been subjected by "the sensational and irresponsible section" of the American press. And yet, in a letter which he dispatched to Vienna and which was fortunately intercepted, this man said: "I am under the impression that we could, if not entirely prevent the production of war material in Bethlehem and in the middle West, at any rate strongly discourage it and hold it up for months, which, according to the statement of the German military attaché, is of great importance, and which amply outweighs the relatively small sacrifice of money."

A foreign ambassador, convicted of unwarrantable interference in our domestic affairs, has not only lingered in this country but presumed to denounce the detection of his conspiracy as an outrage. The question naturally suggested is as to whether the Teutonic alliance is wholly lacking in respect for the United States. If not, what is the explanation of so extraordinary a spectacle? Unhappily this incident does not stand alone. It is but one of a series covering months which tend to show that this country's earnest desire for peace may involve too great sacrifice.

## "WITH A VIEW TO MATRIMONY."

As marrying and giving in marriage may be described as almost if not quite the chief business of life, many people doubtless look with favor upon agencies intended to help along the process. At all events such agencies flourish beyond belief and the number of persons who are ready and eager to enter into a correspondence with an unknown member of the opposite sex "with a view to matrimony" appears to be countless. An issue of a matrimonial newspaper published in the Northwest that has come to hand contains hundreds of requests from both sexes for correspondents who are looking for wives or husbands. The reader of only a few of them will be amazed not only at the recklessness of the whole scheme—the mere purchase of a pug dog would develop more caution—but at the frivolity and vanity displayed by the great majority of these eager contestants for tickets in a matrimonial lottery.

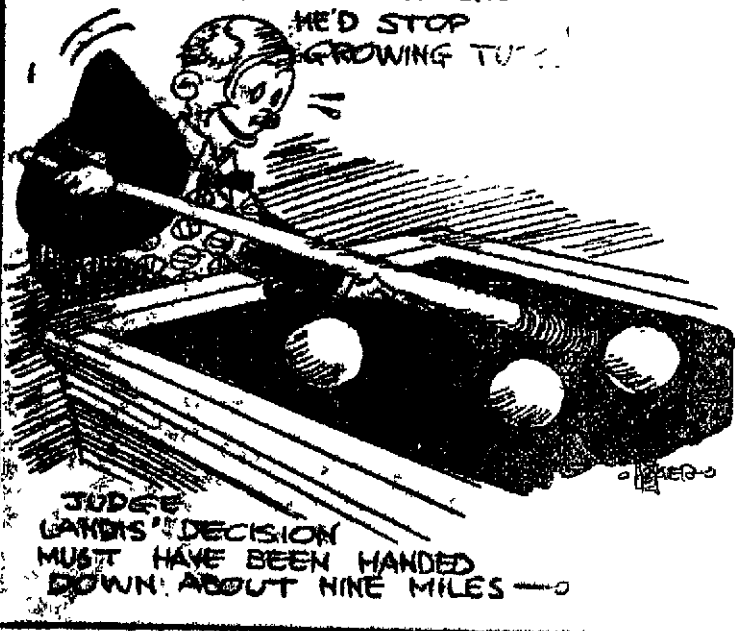
For example, an Indiana girl says she is "a good Christian maiden, fair to look upon," and after further description of herself asks: "Who is the lucky one to win this prize?" From West Virginia the "sweetest girl in the sunny South" writes to secure a correspondent "for fun and results." From Illinois comes the request of "a jolly maid of twenty-one as sweet as honey in a gum." Another "jolly maid" of North Carolina, who is also "as sweet as sugar," wants to correspond with "a sweet little manly boy." A "sweet and pretty" Iowa girl who "likes to be kissed" makes the unexpected announcement that she is "not a bit forward." Clothed with this superabundance of Western and Southern sweetness, the reader turns with relief to the somewhat more matter-of-fact New England female and is further gratified to find an element of caution, as in the announcement of a Maine widow who gives fair warning that "no flirts, dudes or drunkards need apply."

In a large number of cases there is a fortune to be given away, and there is usually at least an indefinite statement regarding "means" present or prospective. The ages of the female applicants for the most part range from sweet sixteen to twenty-one, but a few unexpectedly confess to being in the thirties and one or two—brides of former ones—that they are on the shady side of forty. These extraordinary announcements contain not only a full description of the charms of the applicants but often a reference to the church connections of the applicant—"am a Baptist" or "am a Methodist" following the description of physical and other attractions.

The "Gents' Personal" are no less amazing and scarcely less absurd, though there is often the frankest of confessions that "business" is meant and "money" is sought. There are almost as many "handsome" men as there are "sweet" and beautiful women advertising for consorts, and the former seem to be nearly if not quite as much interested in the color of their eyes and hair. For example, one man, who searches for a "lady,"

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JUDGES  
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gives the following description of himself: "Age 25, height 5 feet 9, weight 150, perfect model, handsome, attractive, a little peach, full of fun, good health, black hair, dark eyes, of noble parentage, highly respected, industrious, intelligent, stylish, honest Yankee." Another says he is "a brunette gentleman," and a third begs the "girls" to write to him, for he "wants to get married the worst way." Among so many desirable and "handsome young men of honor," altogether too numerous to be convincing, it is an agreeable surprise to find a Minnesota applicant frankly stating: "I am not one of these 'ever-so-nice' fellows we read about and do not expect to marry an angel." Perhaps he was saved by the recollection of the saying of a satirical philosopher that the human race consists of so many millions, "mostly fools."

## Today's Geographic Study of The Great European War Zone

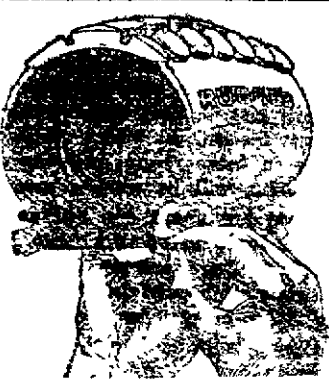
"Dorpat is the threshold of Holy Russia in the north," says a war primer issued today by the National Geographic Society. "The character of the town was for a long time thoroughly German, but determined efforts at russification have worked considerable change in the ancient city, which has been renamed Yurief, and it now marks the outpost line of Great Russia toward the Baltic provinces. It is situated on the River Embach, 140 miles northeast of Riga. Yurief is famed for its university, which has remained among the best in the Tsar's government. "The setting of the town is most picturesque. It stands upon the hilly banks of its river, which flows from Lake Woertz-Jaerw of Lake Piepus, a great inland sea 25 miles to the east of Yurief. The principal buildings are grouped around castle and cathedral hills, though nothing remains of the buildings which defined the eminences but the ruins of the old cathedral, which was burned in 1598. This part of the town lies south of the river. "Yurief's renowned university was founded by the headlong warrior, Gustavus Adolphus, in 1632, the year of his death. Attached to it are an observatory, an anatomical theatre, a museum of natural history, and one of the finest botanical gardens in Europe, whose collection contains more than 12,000 plants. Its library, 250,000 volumes, is housed in a restored part of the old cathedral. The university remained thoroughly German in spirit and sentiment until the 1895, when it was thoroughly russified. A long list of great German investigators, who worked and taught at Yurief, assures the enduring name of the institution. Yurief, until its nationalization was the intellectual center of the Tsar's Teutonic subjects."

## ANNIVERSARY OF "BLACK FRIDAY."

New York, Sept. 24.—September 24 in the year 1869 fell on a Friday, as does the same date today. But the Friday of 46 years ago will ever be remembered as "Black Friday," when many firms were driven to the wall and the fortunes of hundreds were swept away. It was the day of the culmination of Jay Gould's attempt to corner the country's supply of gold. It was a spectacular scheme, carried out in the dark and regardless of consequences. Gould was the head and brains of the syndicate and his chief agent was James Fisk, Jr., the man who later met death at the hands of Ed Stokes. In August, 1869, the Gould syndicate began buying gold for a rise. For a time the astounding plot had ever prospect of success. The price of gold mounted from 135 1/2 to 162 1/2. Then the government awoke to the true nature of the plot and took steps to check it. Gould had an advance tip of the government's intention and acted accordingly. To save himself from ruin he set to work, secretly, getting rid of his own personal supply of gold, without taking the trouble to notify his confederates, who in consequence were carried down in the crash, which came on Friday, September 24. The stock exchange on that day was a bedlam. Men went insane in the "gold room," and the hair of more than one spectator was said to have turned white in a day. The "corner" was smashed and the panic checked when Secretary of the Treasury Boutwell threw \$4,000,000 in gold on the market. That night a mob searched industriously for Gould to lynch him.

## ROBBED IN JAIL.

Grand Forks, N. D., Sept. 24.—That he was robbed in jail, was the complaint of John George a Turk. George said he secreted \$400 from guards, when imprisoned, but told a fellow prisoner about it. Guards heard a commotion, and rescued George. His complaint was that his antagonist had stolen his \$400. The guards could not find the money.



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## TWO FORFEIT LIVES FOR MURDER.

Los Angeles, Sept. 24.—The execution of the two youths, Glenn Witt and Ethelbert C. Oxman, which is fixed to take place today, closes one of the most notable murder cases with which the police of Los Angeles have been called upon to deal in several years. Neither of the condemned men has reached his twenty-first birthday. The crime for which they were given the death penalty was the murder of William M. Alexander, a wealthy retired lawyer, formerly of Dallas, Texas. The murder was committed while the two youths were attempting to rob the Alexander home in this city on the night of December 23, last. Witt and Oxman were attacked and beaten by members of the Alexander household and were arrested the following day when they sought medical attention for their injuries. The two were speedily convicted and sentenced to death. Both confessed to the crime. Witt's execution is scheduled to take place today at Folsom prison and Oxman's at San Quentin.

## SALOONS AND CHURCHES.

(By United Press)  
St. Paul, Sept. 24.—Some wars in St. Paul contain one saloon for every 31 male voters while they contain only one church for every 1,145 male voters, according to a report made by Rev. A. J. D. Haupt.

## SEED WHEAT

Smooth, red seed wheat for sale at Stone House farm. Good variety. Yield per acre 22 bushels. James Mitchell, Clearfield, Pa.

## CLASSIFIED

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POSITIONS WANTED  
No charge will be made to persons applying for positions through these columns. Please refer wanted.

## EMPLOYMENT WANTED

WANTED—A bookkeeper and competent stenographer want a position with some reliable firm. Can furnish good references. Address all communications to Lok 176 Winburne, Pa.

WANTED—Nursing to do by day or by the week. For hire 218 Turnpike Ave. Aug. 11.

WANTED—Position in office or as clerk by young man 17 years old. Have completed three year high school course. Address "Position," care of Progress office. 11.

## HELP WANTED

WANTED—Nurse girl at once. Inquire at Mrs. Wm. F. Powell, West Front St. S 24-11.

WANTED—Apprentice girls in millinery department at A. W. Leonardson's. A 31-11.

WANTED—High class man to sell trees, shrubs, roses, vines, berry bushes, bulbs, etc. Good wages; permanent; exclusive territory. Brown Brothers Nurseries, Rochester, New York.

ROOMERS WANTED—Rooms well furnished, steam heat, electric light, good bath; for rent. Apply 202 Nichols Street. S 20-61.

## FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms, suitable for light housekeeping. Apply 406 South Second street.

## FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Sideboard, quartered white oak; Dining room table, oak; 3 piece bedroom suit, springs and mattress; washing machine, tubs and wringer; Sewing machine, laundry stove. Call at 210 Spruce St. S 23-11.

FOR SALE—Good piano at reasonable price. Must sell quick. Call H. & C. 323 or 912 Linden street. 9-10-41.

FOR SALE—Two 1913 model Ford cars. Apply by letter to "Ford" care Progress. S 13-31.

FOUND—A child's white sweater. Owner can have same by calling at this office and paying for this notice.

LOST—Dark velvet pocket book, between Sugar Bowl and Market street bridge. If found please return to Progress office. Sept. 21, 11.

LOST—Gold watch on Weaver Street, between Nichols and Smith Streets with initials "R. B." on back. Finder will please return to Progress office and get reward.

## HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE

A seven (7) room house, situated on Garden Avenue and West Third street in the borough of Clearfield, with steam heat electric light, bath and all modern conveniences; size of lot 1/2 acre, fronting on two streets, West Third street and Gulich street.  
This property will be sold at a bargain to settle up an estate. For further particulars inquire of A. G. Kramer, Clearfield, Pa.

## WAR ODDITIES

Paris—Turkish prisoners quarantined on an island in the Aegean Sea are furnished an aeroplane mail service by the French government which allows them to write and receive letters.

Amsterdam—All German military commanders, with one exception—Gen. Falkenhayn—are between sixty-five and seventy-two years old. Falkenhayn is fifty-nine.

Geneva—The armed blessings of a lamb—made of a regiment of Italian Bersaglieri near Novara were led at the discovery of an attempted enemy surprise and caused the defeat of the Austrians with heavy loss.

## PENNSYLVANIA BRIEFS.

Pittsburgh—Several deer have been reported recently in Liguster Valley.

Braeburn—the war department has approved plans for a new bridge between Braeburn and Natrona.

New Castle—Girls in the domestic science classes of New Castle are "putting up" several thousand jars of fruit.

## House Wiring

Campaign is Now Open

HAVE

## Central Electric Company

DO YOUR WORK.

Bell Phone 7—R

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## Growth, The Reward of Service

Not only has the County National Bank kept pace with the industrial development of Clearfield County, but it has helped materially in that development.

Its part has been to aid legitimate enterprise by making loans as required to the business men of the district.

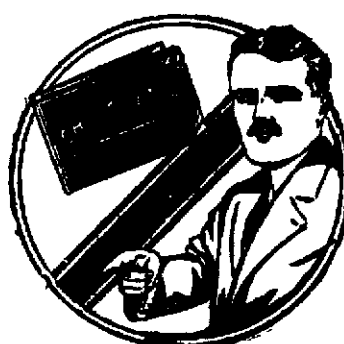
It has found its reward in the steady growth of its own business, until now it is the largest bank in this section of Pennsylvania, with deposits of over \$2,600,000 and resources of more than \$4,000,000.

It is better equipped than ever before to serve its customers. Your account is invited.

## The County National Bank of Clearfield, Pa.

The Oldest Bank in Clearfield County

## The Successful Business Man



uses the commercial bank extensively. Business could not exist without it. If you're not a client of ours there are many reasons why you should be. Our bank not only affords a safe place for your money, but pays interest as well.

Let us explain our methods to you.

## CLEARFIELD TRUST COMPANY

"CLEARFIELD'S PIONEER SAVINGS BANK"

## Twenty-Three Years

is a long time for any concern to do business in a city and when the concern happens to be a bank like this, with a multitude of depositors to please, there must be something about it which holds depositors together.

We think its the Courtesy, Security and Friendly Feeling extended to large and small depositors alike. At any rate you are invited to participate in it.

## The Clearfield National Bank, "The Bank of Service"







LEITZINGER BROS LEITZINGER BROS.

## OPENING DAYS

Friday, Saturday and Monday,  
September 24, 25 and 27

The Latest Fall Fashions in Millinery, Suits and  
Coats and all kinds of Fall and Winter Merchandise  
in every department of our store on display for the

## FALL OPENING

Piano concerts Saturday and Monday Evening  
From 7:30 to 9:00

## Special Sale Furs, Coats, Muffs and Neck Pieces

The best qualities for less money than we have shown in years.  
The disturbed trade conditions of the European markets have thrown  
thousands of dollars worth of furs on our home market at a sacrificed price.

It's the Time to Buy Furs.

Russian Pony Coats.  
Hudson-Seal Coats

Natural Pony Coats  
River Mink Coats

Any of the above we have in stock in plain and trimmed in the latest  
styles. Special orders taken. Muffs and Neck Pieces are subject to the  
same condition and many good bargains are now on sale which will not be  
shown later.

LEITZINGER BROS.

HONOR MEMORY OF FAMOUS  
PIONEER.

Memphis, Sept. 24.—Historical and  
patriotic societies of Tennessee re-  
called today as the centennial anni-  
versary of the death of Gen. John Se-  
vier, first governor of the state and  
one of the most famous pioneers of  
this section. Gen. Sevier was a native  
of Virginia and in his youth fought  
under Washington in the war against  
the Indians. With his two brothers  
he emigrated to the country west of  
the Alleghenies in 1773. He took  
part in the revolution and distinguish-  
ed himself particularly at the battle  
of King's Mountain. He was the  
chief organizer of the proposed State  
of Franklin and was elected its gov-

ernor. On the admission of Tennes-  
see to the union he was chosen first  
governor. Subsequently he served  
several terms in congress. He also is  
remembered as the founder of Wash-  
ington College. A monument was  
erected to Gen. Sevier's memory in  
this city, and Sevier County was nam-  
ed in his honor.

## MAY AVOID STRIKE

(By United Press)

Pittsburg, Sept. 24.—Westinghouse  
employees who met last night to de-  
cide on a threatening strike, were still  
at work today, having deferred action  
until next Thursday.

Subscribe for The Progress.

## "HARVEST QUEEN" WINS AGAIN

"Harvest Queen," the fast trotter  
of the Mahaffey stable, won the 2-  
trot at the Dayton fair yesterday.  
Straight heats, her best time being  
2:19 1-4, the fastest this horse has  
ever traveled. By winning yester-  
day "Harvest Queen" adds \$300 to  
the already considerable winnings of  
the season. She will enter the class  
events at the DuBois fair next week.

The French club met Monday after-  
noon at the home of Mrs. Alfred  
Liveright on West Front street. This  
club is composed of ladies who can  
converse in French and a very de-  
lightful afternoon was spent. De-  
licious refreshments were served.

Gossip for  
Tonight's  
Tea Table

Charles W. Fry, of DuBois trans-  
acted business in town yesterday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Knight Staver, of  
Third street are on an extended trip  
to Atlantic City, Philadelphia and  
other Eastern cities.

Grace McKenzie of Hout, Ind., was  
in town between trains yesterday.

Mrs. Gaines, formerly Miss Lucy  
McDowell who has been spending the  
summer with her parents on Park  
avenue, returned to her home in El  
Centro, Cal., today.

Miss Louise Row left for Chicago  
today where she attends the Chicago  
Normal of Physical Education.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Shenee re-  
turned last evening from an auto trip  
to Johnstown.

Leon Adelman and sister, of Phil-  
ipsburg, motored to town last even-  
ing.

Henry Mouthrop of DuBois was  
calling on friends in town last even-  
ing.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lorraine and  
daughter Kathryn, of Philipsburg,  
were shopping in town yesterday.

William Russell, of Philadelphia, is  
visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. S.  
C. Russell in Curwensville.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kurtz and fam-  
ily motored to Pittsburg, today.

Mrs. William Ewing and Miss Re-  
becca Patton, of Curwensville, were  
shopping in town today.

Miss Julia Beil left this morning  
for Atlantic City and New York.

Mrs. Joseph Saylers, of Frenchville  
was shopping in town this morning.

A W. Leonardson returned this  
morning from Kane.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Spencer, of  
Curwensville, were in town shopping  
this morning.

Mrs. Norman Hawes, of Cherry  
Tree was shopping in town today.

John Connel, of Sanborn, trans-  
acted business in town today.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Wrigley,  
daughter Margaret and son William  
left this morning for Philadelphia and  
Atlantic City.

J. L. McGinnis was taken to the  
hospital this afternoon where he will  
be operated upon.

G. W. Shillingford has purchased  
a new Overland runabout from the  
Lee garage.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Thompson left  
this morning for Bloomington where  
they will visit at the summer home  
of J. P. Cameron.

The Hospital Bridge whist club  
met Wednesday afternoon at the  
home of Mrs. B. M. Fast on Turnpike  
avenue. Six tables were in play and  
seven dollars was received by the  
treasurer. Mrs. Hoag held the high-  
est bridge score and was awarded the  
first prize, a beautiful sandwich bas-  
ket. Mrs. Myers won the five hun-  
dred prize, a basket. The prizes were  
donated to the club by Mrs. Fast.

## CURWENSVILLE

The ladies of the M. E. church held  
a supper last night in the basement  
parlors which was well patronized.

Fred Graff was in DuBois yester-  
day.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Gates left yester-  
day for the Dayton fair at Dayton  
Armstrong county.

Misses Miriam Dyer and Aline  
Blake left Wednesday morning for  
New York city where they will visit  
for some time. Miss Dyer will later  
go to school at Lowell, Mass.

The Second ward voting house was  
used for the first time Tuesday and  
was found to be a great improvement  
over the old place and for this pur-  
pose.

There was a square and round  
dance held last night in the Moose  
hall. Quite a crowd of out of town  
folks were present.

Guy Richards who has been work-  
ing at Akron, Ohio is home for the  
winter.

Abe Robinson returned from Pitts-  
burg yesterday.

Ollie Livingston was in Clearfield  
this morning.

Henry Marshall was at the county  
seat this afternoon.

WANTED—Girl for general house-  
work, no washing. Inquire at  
Mrs. A. J. Musser, Pine street. 24-25

LOST—A gold friendship circle  
with garnet setting on Second or Mar-  
ket streets, Globe theatre or Leit-  
zinger Bros store. If found please re-  
turn to Progress office.

can easily save \$10. No hard work. Can  
be done in spare time. No experience  
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For instructions how to do it.

NATIONAL DEFENSE  
CONFERENCE PLANS  
ALMOST COMPLETED

Will be Greatest Conference  
Ever Held in Washington  
It is Predicted

Veterans Will Remain After Grand  
Review, and Thousands of Others  
Will be in Attendance.

Washington, Sept. 24.—Plans for  
the conference on National Defense,  
which will be held under the auspices  
of the National Defense League in  
Washington, October 4-7, immedi-  
ately following the Grand Army of the  
Republic Encampment, are rapidly  
being completed. The Navy League  
and the National Rifle Association  
are co-operating with the National  
Defense League in the conference.  
Representative Julius Kahn, of Cal-  
ifornia, chairman, and Senator Robert  
F. Broussard, of Louisiana, vice-chair-  
man, of the National Defense League,  
will preside at the sessions of the  
conference, which will last four days  
and at which will speak the most  
prominent men of the United States.

The Conference on National De-  
fense probably will be the greatest  
convention ever held in Washington.  
Thousands of the grand army veter-  
ans have notified the league that they  
will remain in Washington to attend  
the conference, after the G. A. R. en-  
campment ends. A very large num-  
ber of congressmen, members of state  
legislatures, mayors of cities, and  
others have signified their intention  
of being present at the conference.

It is expected that this conference  
will focus the eyes of the whole coun-  
try on the preparedness for national  
defense agitation, and will have an  
important effect on the action of con-  
gress at the next session for adequate  
defense measures.

Women are going to take a promi-  
nent part in the deliberations of the  
conference. Many have written the  
National Defense League they will at-  
tend the conference.

From thousands of letters received  
by the National Defense League it is  
shown that in every section of the  
country there is a strong sentiment  
for preparation for National defense.  
Many of the writers say they will at-  
tend the conference.

A citizens committee of 500 promi-  
nent Washingtonians has been ap-  
pointed to care for the local arrange-  
ments for the conference, and the  
press committee includes practically  
the whole membership of the con-  
gressional press gallery.

President Wilson, former Presi-  
dents Taft and Roosevelt, and many  
other prominent men have been in-  
vited to speak at the conference.

## NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that applica-  
tion will be made to The Public Ser-  
vice Commission of the Common-  
wealth of Pennsylvania by The  
American Telegraph & Telephone  
Company, of Pennsylvania and The  
Bell Telephone Company, of Penn-  
sylvania for a certificate of public con-  
venience evidencing the Commission's  
approval of a bill of sale dated July  
28, 1915 for the sale by the former to  
the latter of certain central office  
equipment located in Allentown, Le-  
high County; Berwick, Columbia  
County; Clearfield, Clearfield County;  
Easton, Northampton County; Haz-  
leton and Wilkes-Barre, Luzerne  
County; Johnsonburg and Ridgeway,  
Elk County; Lancaster, Lancaster  
County; Lewistown, Mifflin County;  
Reading, Berks County; Scranton,  
Lackawanna County; Shippensburg,  
Cumberland County; Tamaqua,  
Schuylkill County; Tyrone, Blair  
County and York, York County, Penn-  
sylvania, the public hearing on which  
will be held in the rooms of the Com-  
mission at Harrisburg on October 6,  
1915, at Ten a. m., when and where  
all persons in interest may appear  
and be heard if they so desire. 5-24-25

Woodlawn—The new pipe mill of  
the Jones & Laughlin Steel Company,  
to be completed next year, will em-  
ploy a thousand men.

## ANNOUNCEMENT

Robinson &amp; Company

Wish to announce their

latest showing of:

1915--Fall and Winter--1916

Millinery---Coats---Suits

Friday and Saturday

September 24-25

Millinery Department will be open

Friday Evening

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## Special For Saturday

All of the late style  
SHOES  
for Women at very  
low prices. We  
have just received  
several shipments  
and are selling them  
at prices that are  
real values

## A Lot of Men's Shoes at Bargain Prices

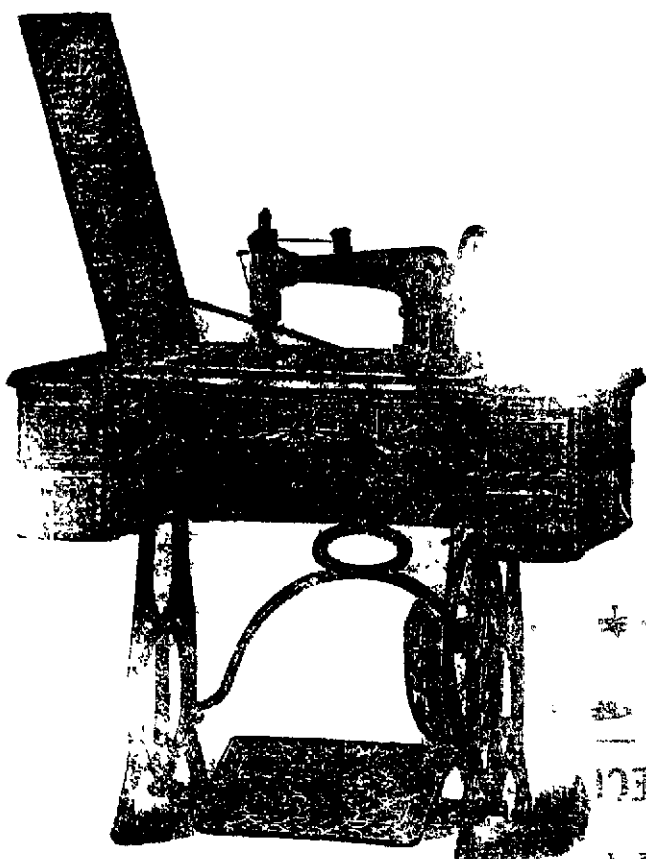
Men's \$4, \$4.50 and \$5  
Shoes, all styles, \$2.98

Men's \$3 dress and work  
Shoes, now . . . \$1.98

School shoes for children  
in all leathers,  
\$1.19 to \$2.98



Brown's Boot Shop  
Clearfield, Pa.

Put This Twenty-Five Dollars In  
The Bank

It's money in your pocket saved by you when you buy your sewing ma-  
chine here. We have sold Sewing Machines for 35 years. Plenty of exper-  
ience in all makes.

Today and for the Past Fifteen Years We Have Sold Only Three Makes.  
The leader of them all is the New Ideal. Automatic Head, light run-  
ning, ball bearing Machine . . . \$25.00

Sold on easy monthly payments. We have over 500 of these machines  
sold right here in Clearfield and every one of them giving perfect satisfaction.  
They will pay \$45.00 or \$50.00 for a Sewing Machine when we can sell you a  
Machine for \$25.00 that will do just the same work. We say to you that any  
Machine we sell you must be satisfactory to you in every way or your money  
back.

The Ruby Machine Drop Head for \$20.00.

Come in any time we will be glad to demonstrate our Sewing Machines  
and prove to you that we can sell you a Machine for \$20.00 and \$25.00 that  
will do all that the \$50.00 Machine will do.

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## BUY IT NOW

Present Low Prices For  
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## KERR ADDITION

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